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Fall Announcement.

J. R. RACE & CO.

Are displaying the largest and most complete stock of

—CLOTHING—

—AND—

Gents' Fine Furnishing Goods

IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS.

Our Merchant Tailoring Department

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

It contains all the latest designs, including Foreign Corkscrew and Wide Wale Worsteds. We have in our employ

MR. R. MITCHELL,

The only First-class Cutter in the city, who will cut you a stylish garment and Guarantee a Fit. Being

THE LEADING HATTERS,

Enables us to show you ALL the New Styles.

We are ready to quote you prices to meet any and all competition.

A call from you will prove mutually beneficial. No trouble to show goods.

J. R. RACE & CO.,
129 to 135 Water Street.

Remember our Free Gift Enterprise.

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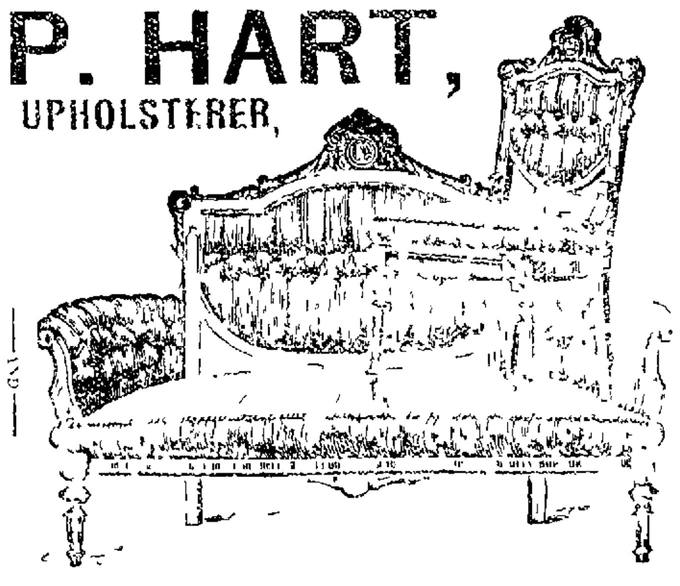

AWNING MAKER,
249 North Main St.

I have the largest assortment of Upholstering goods in the city, all kinds of goods for making mattresses, and machinery for making old ones over. Old furniture made over in any style desired, and all kinds of furniture repaired.

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FURNITURE EXCHANGE,

245 and 249 East Main Street.

STOVES---ROUND OAK HEATERS.
CAPITAL OAK HEATERS.
BALTIC OAK HEATERS.

"FAVORITE" COOK STOVES.

We guarantee all these stoves, and can assure the public that we will furnish as fine stoves and stove furniture as can be found in the city, and cheaper than the cheapest. See our fine line of stoves.

FURNITURE OF ALL KINDS,

from the finest and best to the cheapest and most useful. UPHOLSTERED GOODS, CHAMBER SETS, and everything usually found in a first class furniture store.

Straw ticks filled and delivered to any part of the city.

Our goods were bought low down for cash, and we can sell lower than anybody. Call and see us, and we will save you money. We know we can.

[illegible] **J. W. BARBER.**

Special Bargains

—AT—

DECATUR'S NEW

CARPET FACTORY,

—IN—

RAG AND CHAIN CARPET.

I can show a finer display of home made carpets at my salesroom than can be seen in Central Illinois.

CARPETS MADE TO ORDER

at 10 cents per yard and upward in proportion to amount of chain used.

Rags taken in exchange for carpets.

Please call and see for yourselves.

MARTIN LEIPPE,
103 Old Square, Rothfuss Block.
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FRANK W. HAINES

BILL POSTER. DISTRIBUTOR.

—AND—

AGENT SMITH'S OPERA HOUSE,

may be found on inquiry at the Republican Counting Room.

Administrator's Notice for Final Settlement

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

Estate of JACOB FRY, deceased

To Rachel Sipe, Henry Sipe, Amos Fry, Henry Heath and Catharine Heath

YOU are hereby notified that on Monday the Twelfth day of October 1885, the administrator of said estate will present to the County Court of Macon county at the court house, in the city of Decatur Illinois his final report of his acts and doings as such administrator, and ask the Court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate and his administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application if you choose so to do.

(Signed) LEMUEL O DAVIS
sept28 d2w Administrator

FOR THE BLOOD

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS

Combining **IRON** with **PURE VEGETABLE TONICS,** quickly and completely **CLEANSES** and **ENRICHES THE BLOOD.** Quickens the action of the Liver and Kidneys. Clears the complexion, makes the skin smooth. It does not injure the teeth, cause headache or produce constipation—**ALL OTHER IRON MEDICINES DO.** Physicians and Druggists everywhere recommend it.

DR N S RUGGLES of Marion Mass says: "I recommend Brown's Iron Bitters as a valuable tonic for enriching the blood and removing all dyspeptic symptoms. It does not hurt the teeth."

DR R M DELZELL, Reynolds Ind, says: "I have prescribed Brown's Iron Bitters in cases of anæmia and blood diseases, also when a tonic was needed, and it has proved thoroughly satisfactory."

MR WM BYRNS 26 St Mary St New Orleans La says: "Brown's Iron Bitters relieved me in a case of blood poisoning and I heartily commend it to those needing a purifier."

The Genuine has Trade Mark and crossed red lines on wrapper. Take no other. Made only by
BROWN CHEMICAL CO BALTIMORE MD

LADIES' HAND BOOK—useful and attractive, containing list of prizes for recipes, information about coins, etc., given away by all dealers in medicine, or mailed to any address on receipt of 2c stamp.

Water St. Front.

The attention of those seeking desirable Building Lots is called to the fact that only

FOUR LOTS

fronting on Water Street now remain unsold!

WARREN & DURFEE.

PYÆMIA

Is the most virulent form of blood poisoning. Less sudden, but not less certain, in its fatal effects, is the vitiation of the blood of which the earliest symptoms are **Pimples, Sties, Boils,** and **Cutaneous Eruptions.** When the taint of **Scrofula** gives warning of its presence by such indications, no time should be lost in using **AYER'S SARSAPARILLA,** the only perfect and reliable medicine for the purification of the blood.

SCROFULA

Is a foul corruption in the blood that rots out all the machinery of life. Nothing will eradicate it from the system and prevent its transmission to offspring but AYER'S SARSAPARILLA. This preparation is also the only one that will cleanse the blood of Mercurial poison and the taint of Contagious Diseases. Impoverished blood is productive of

ANÆMIA,

A wretched condition indicated by **Pallid Skin, Flaccid Muscles, Shattered Nerves,** and **Melancholy.** Its first symptoms are **Weakness, Languor, Loss of Nerve Force,** and **Mental Depression.** Its course, unchecked, leads inevitably to insanity or death. Women frequently suffer from it. The only medicine that, while purifying the blood, enriches it with new vitality, and invigorates the whole system, is

Ayer's Sarsaparilla,

PREPARED BY

Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Sold by all Druggists. Price $1, Six bottles for $5.

New Goods! New Goods!

—AT—

FLEURY'S,

The French Cutter,

FASHIONABLE

Merchant Tailor,

158 MERCHANT ST, DECATUR

GREAT REDUCTION on all light weight Goods

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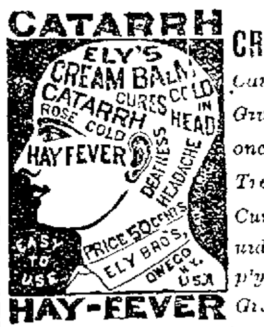

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Causes no Pain. Gives Relief at once. Thorough Treatment will Cure. Not a Liquid or Snuff. Apply into nostrils. Give it a Trial.

HAY-FEVER

50 cents at Druggists. 60 cents by mail registered. Send for circular. Sample by mail 10 cents. ELY BROTHERS, Druggists, Owego, N. Y.

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Rubber BOOTS

WITH

DOUBLE THICK BALL.

"CANDEE" RUBBER BOOTS GIVE DOUBLE WEAR ON THE BOTTOM.
GREATEST IMPROVEMENT EVER MADE IN RUBBER BOOTS.
TWO YEARS TEST.
A COMMON SENSE IDEA.
DOUBLE THICK BALL.

Ordinary Rubber Boots always wear out first on the ball. The CANDEE Boots are double thick on the ball and give

DOUBLE WEAR.

Most economical Rubber Boot in the market. Lasts longer than any other boot and the

PRICE NO HIGHER.

Call and examine the goods.

FOR SALE BY

L. L. FERRISS & CO.,

Western Agents,

DECATUR ILLINOIS.

May 26-d&w6m

A GENEROUS KENTUCKIAN.

How He Saved the Necks of Thieves Who Had Robbed Their Benefactor

In the recent examination here of Frank Howard for the killing of Charles Williams at Lander, Wyoming Territory, one of the witnesses called was George Baker. The appearance of this man vividly recalled to your correspondent a dramatic criminal incident that transpired in the Big Horn country two years ago.

In the spring of 1882 the Baker family, numbering some fifteen persons all told, with three wagons, crossed the Big Horn Mountains from the neighborhood of the town of Buffalo, where they had wintered, and struck the Big Horn River just above the home ranch of the mammoth cattle firm of Mason & Lovell. They pulled into the ranch with tired teams, and almost in a starving condition *themselves.* Mr. Clay Anderson, in charge of the Mason & Lovell outfit at that point, recognized Baker as a man he had known in the old Kentucky State, and though the reputation he had borne there was none of the best, the princely hospitality of the ranch to all comers was extended to him. The rich, inclosed pastures along the river bottoms were proffered for their tired stock, the shelter of the ranch accorded, provisions furnished in abundance, and when, after a stay of ten days, the family once more moved on they did so with an ample supply of everything they needed from the stores of the ranch. In the fall of 1883 the Bakers were again on the trail. This time they were headed up the Big Horn, retracing the way they had in the spring of 1882. They had spent the intervening time in a section further to the west, and had left only before they were driven off, leaving behind them a most unsavory reputation. *On arriving again at the hospitable ranch of Mason & Lovell that they had such good cause to remember with gratitude, they found no one there.* Anderson and his outfit were absent on the annual spring cattle gather. Here was an opportunity congenial to the Baker character, and one which the Baker family did not neglect. The ranch was gutted at once of everything portable, and the plunder stored in the wagons that were soon rolling again up the valley of the Big Horn. But Nemesis in the shape of an outraged lot of cowboys was already astir. Anderson, the day of the theft, sent a man to the ranch for a few articles stored *there.* The messenger discovered the robbery before it was six hours old, and at once rode at breakneck speed to the cowboy camp to report. The morning's sun found the boys on the ground, and the trail was at once taken up, and as it followed the main wagon road of the country was followed at a lope. The Bakers had pushed on all night and had succeeded in placing the Big Horn River between them and the pursuers. Striking the ferry where the marauders had crossed the river, Anderson found the boat on the other side. Without a pause Anderson spurred into the fierce current, and breasting the icy waters, reached the other shore. He was instantly and gallantly followed, and soon the cowboys were riding straight upon their quarry, now in sight. Uttering a few hurried but comprehensive orders, Anderson dashed at once to the lead wagon, driven by Baker himself, and with garments still dripping with the waters of the Big Horn threw down a heavy Colt's on the old thief with the stern command: "Hands up!" He was obeyed with little parley, the old woman only whining: "Don't kill my old man, Clay. You can have your things." By this time the other wagons, under the guard of pistol muzzles, had approached, and the whole party were speedily hustled to the ground while the wagons were searched for the stolen goods. These were all found, and the demand of the cowboys now was that the robbers should be hung to the end of their own wagon tongues. The women and children broke into screams and cries of entreaty for mercy, while the men, with blanched faces but sullen mien, awaited their fate. Anderson quieted the tumult by telling the women that their husbands would be spared, and then addressing his cowboys called their attention to the helpless beings who would be left should they carry out their determination to hang the men. The boys at once gave way and told Anderson to settle the affair as he thought best. This was speedily accompanied by the payment of a round sum in money for damage done the ranch, the immediate return of the stolen goods to where they were taken from, and a stern warning to the entire gang that they would stretch hemp if ever caught on Mason & Lovell's range again, supplemented with the assurance that their women and children were all that saved their worthless lives on the present occasion.—*Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

—Said Bobby to the cashier when they met on the street: "Can a bank whistle?" "Why do you ask?" "'Cause my pa owes the bank a thousand dollars, and he says he's going to let the bank whistle for it."

A Sensible Man

Would use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. It is curing more cases of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup and all Throat and Lung Troubles than any other medicine. The proprietor has authorized Dr. A. J. Stoner, druggist, No. 14 south side new square, to refund your money if after taking three-fourths of a bottle, relief is not obtained. Price 50 cents and $1. *Trial size free.* bi

JULIUS CÆSAR was inordinately vain and fond of dress.

GEN SANTA ANNA had a weakness for cock fighting.

THE Earl of Chatham always dressed and posed for effect.

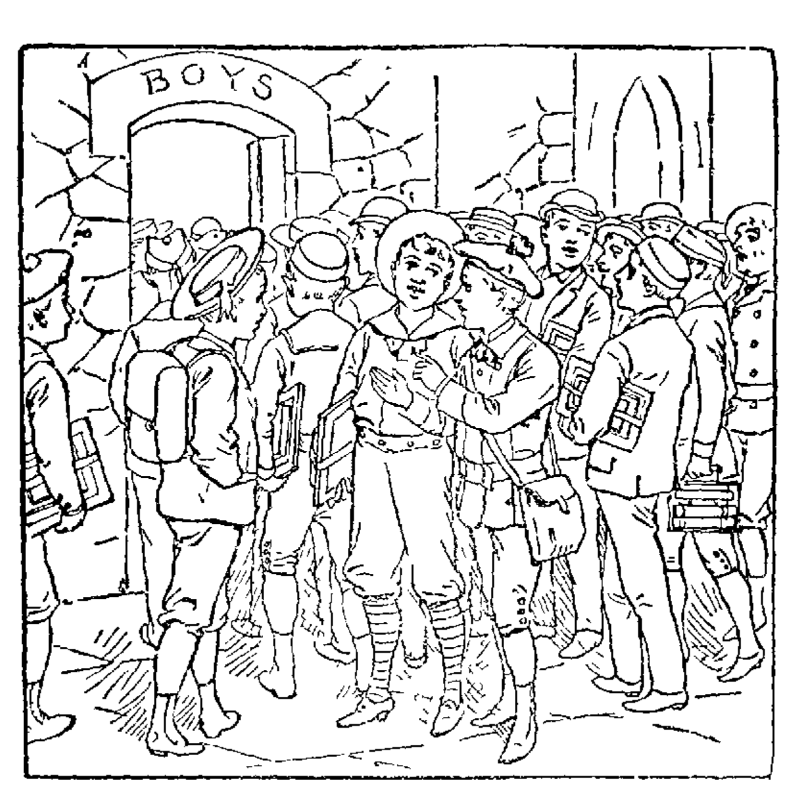
Lustra Paints

You will find the Lustra Paints and Tools at Myer & Son's Art Store, cheaper than any other place in the city. 11 dtf

SPENCER, LEBMAN & Co have secured the exclusive agency of the celebrated Peter Schuttler Wagon, which is universally regarded as the *best.* It requires some enterprise and no little confidence in the public for a firm to purchase the best and highest priced wagon in the market by the car load where all their competitors are handling cheaper and inferior grades of goods, but Spencer, Lebman & Co believe the best wagon in the world is none too good for their customers. sept18 d&w6w

CHEAP CHARLEY has received another lot of his fine Oil Paintings. Size 36 by 10. Free exhibition. d&w

FOR birthday presents, buy a Gent's Smoking Jacket at B. Stine's. dtf



SCHOOL BEGINS SEPT. 7th.

Bring the Boys to B. STINE'S Clothing House,

The New Suits are Ready.

REMEMBER

We carry the largest assortment of Boys' Clothing in the city.

THE LATEST STYLES,
THE BEST FITTING,

—AT THE—

Very Lowest Rock-Bottom Prices.

☞ Large assortment of Boys' School Pants just received.

—B. STINE—

THE RELIABLE AND RESPONSIBLE CLOTHIER.

WE ARE READY.

We beg to inform the public that our fall and winter purchases are now complete and ready for inspection. Our stock embraces the best fabrics that are produced, while our assortment is complete and perfect in every department. We make a magnificent display of Foreign and Domestic

DRESS GOODS,

Ladies' Misses' and Children's

WINTER WRAPS,

UNDERWEAR, **HOSIERY,**
VELVETS, **SILKS,**
JERSEYS, **SHAWLS,**
FLANNELS, **JEANS,**
BLANKETS, **BED COMFORTS,**
CORSETS, **YARNS,**
KNIT AND CROTCHET GOODS,
GLOVES, &c., &c.

☞ Examine our stock, get our prices, and compare both with those of our neighbors.

BIG 18 CHEAP STORE.

Merchant Street.

AFTER DINNER.

Persons who suffer from Indigestion can arrest the progress of that painful malady by the use of an after-dinner pill, so composed that it will give tone to the stomach, prevent heartburn, rouse the liver to healthful action, invigorate the kidneys and thus through the activity of these organs, promote the natural movement of the stomach and bowels. AYER'S PILLS are so compounded that they have this action, though mild, effectually produce the above results. They also [illegible] in curing Constipation, [illegible] the cure of Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Kidney Disease, Rheumatism, and many other serious ailments.

AYER'S PILLS

contain no mineral nor poisonous substance, and do not irritate the bowels, [illegible] their influence is healing. To counteract the effect in constipated or torpid cases they need only be taken in diminishing instead of increasing doses. For seamen, and inhabitants or travelers in sparsely settled countries where physicians are not at hand, they are of inestimable value. There is hardly a sickness they will not alleviate, and in most cases cure, if taken promptly. To young girls just entering upon womanhood and to women whose period of maternity is drawing to a close, Ayer's Pills, in moderate doses, merely sufficient to ensure regular action of the bowels, will be found of

Incalculable Value.

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Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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Ice delivered to all parts of the city by T. L Antrim. Telephone 176. m1 dtf

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WILLIAM YOUNG

Having bought out the meat market of John Zeller on Prairie street, will continue the business

AT THE OLD STAND,

Where will always be found a full assortment of the best of

FRESH AND CURED MEATS,

Beef, Mutton, Veal,
Pork, Ham, Bacon,
Sausages, Lard, Etc.

None but the BEST STOCK slaughtered. Everything neat and first class.

CALL AND SEE ME.

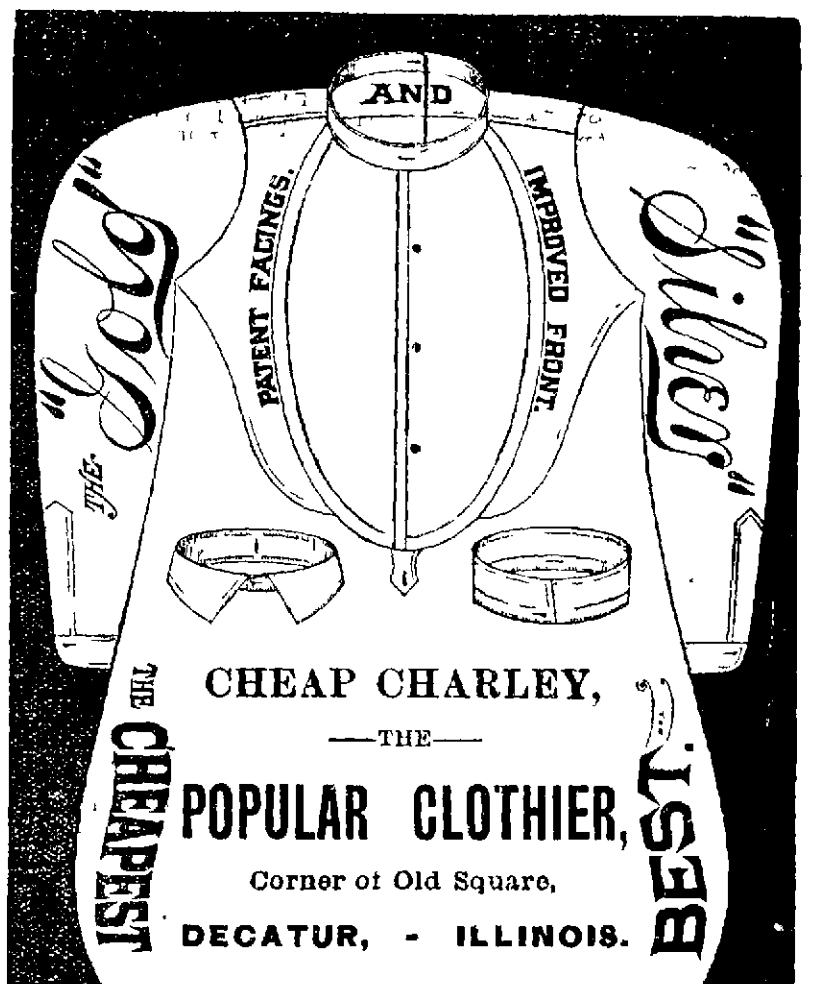
WM. YOUNG.

June 1dtf

HANDY HARNESS ATTACHMENT.

AGENTS WANTED—ONE reliable man in this county to take charge of the sale of an article which will commend itself to the common sense of every practical horseman. Large profits on small capital. First premium just obtained at the State Fair. For particulars address Wilfred D GIBSON, 31 W Madison Street, Chicago, Illinois. 22d1m

NORFOLK coats cheap at Cheap Charley's. a17dtf



CHEAP CHARLEY,

—THE—

POPULAR CLOTHIER,

Corner of Old Square,

DECATUR, - ILLINOIS.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY }

Macon County Circuit Court

James Millikin et al vs the Decatur Creamery Company et al—No [illegible]

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree rendered and entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term A D 1885, I, John A Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Saturday, the 10th Day of October, A D 1885,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p m of said day shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the west door of the court house in Decatur in said county the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to wit: Lots one (1) and two (2) in block No four (4) in B H Cass' fifth addition to the city of Decatur. Included with the real estate above described and in the building on said premises are 5 rubber [illegible] iron shafting or pulleys, two steam vats with attached piping, two large Davis and Franklin revolving churns, two large Davis and Coffin vats, one Mason's power butter worker, and one Hawkeye butter worker, one zinc vat and iron piping connected with said butter workers and vats, a lot of iron piping for steam heating, one No 3 [illegible] steam engine and boiler for same and attachments, and a lot of shafting, pulleys and belting connected therewith. Said articles are to be sold with the above described real estate, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur Illinois, September 10th 188[illegible]

JOHN A BROWN
Master in Chancery for Macon county Illinois
CHAS A EWING Solicitors for Complainant
Sept [illegible]w

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

Shorthorn Cattle

—AND—

Clydesdale Mares and Colts.

Thursday, Oct. 1, 1885,

Will be sold at public auction at S W Hutchins' stock farm, near Kenney, DeWitt county, Ill, at 10 o'clock p m,

20 head of Registered Shorthorn Cattle.
Six Grade Heifers.
Two fine Jersey heifers bred to a Registered Jersey bull.
Three extra Clydesdale brood mares,
Two year old colts, well matched,
One yearling Clydesdale colt.
Four sucking colts, two Clydesdales and two Roadsters, one of them sired by Mohawk, Jr.
50 Brood Sows and Pigs.
Terms made known on day of sale.

S W HUTCHIN
MONTGOMERY BROS
FRANK WHEELOCK, Auctioneer w2d3

NEW MEAT MARKET!

Danzeisen & Son

HAVE OPENED THEIR

NEW MEAT MARKET

—AT—

No. 16, Merchant St.,

which has been fitted up with new fixtures and everything put in the most complete order. We will keep constantly on hand all kinds of

Fresh and Salt Meats,

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Ham, Bacon, Sausage, Lard, Etc.

WE SELL ONLY THE BEST QUALITY OF MEATS.

DANZEISEN & SON.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of two executions on transcript from J [illegible] docket to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of Henry K[illegible] and one in favor of H L Foster, and both against David B Kaufman, I have levied upon the following described property to wit: Lots Nos eleven (11) and twelve (12) in S S Jack's Addition to the City of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said David B Kaufman, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the City of Decatur in Macon county, in said state, on the 7th day of October A D 1885, at the hour of two o'clock p m of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This [illegible] day of September A D 1885.

W W FOSTER
sept[illegible] Sheriff Macon Co, Illinois

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from J P [illegible] docket to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county Illinois in favor of William W Swearingen and Charles J Shilling, partners as Swearingen & Shilling, and against Patrick Kearney, I have levied upon the following described property to wit: Lot number nine (9) in block B of Stopp's Subdivision of block [illegible] of [illegible] Addition to the City of Decatur, all in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, taken as property of the said Patrick Kearney, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the City of Decatur in Macon county, in said state, on the First day of October A D 1885, at the hour of two o'clock p m of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 9th day of September A D 1885.

W M W FOSTER,
se[illegible] Sheriff Macon county Ills

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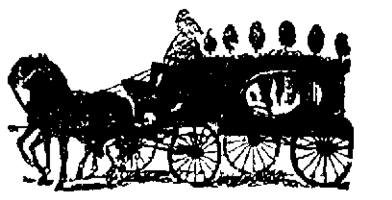

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—AND—

FUNERAL DIRECTOR,

140, 142, 144 and 146, South Main St

☞ Telephone 54

May 3 1885-dtf

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor.

South side of the Old Square, Decatur.

Jan [illegible]

ICE! ICE!

Pure, Crystal Ice,

By the large or small quantity. Orders for families or others left at J MICHL'S, 129 North Water street or at T L ANTRIM'S residence 538 North Main street, will receive prompt attention.

TELEPHONE 176, or 121.

April 3-d6m T. L. ANTRIM.

GRANULAR LIDS,

Iritis, Amaurosis, Near-sight and all scrofulous, painful and chronic diseases of the Eye cured without pain. For terms, reference, etc., address,

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July 9, dt*

The Daily Republican.

D. E. HAMSHER. J. R. MOSSER.
HAMSHER & MOSSER, Propri't'rs
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

WEDNESDAY EVE., SEPT. 30, 1885.

THE New York Democratic platform congratulates the country upon the fact that the election of a Democratic President has not resulted in national calamity. This is an indirect tribute to the Republican party, which made the Government so strong and great during the preceding twenty-four years that it was able to stand such a strain without being seriously crippled. But the fact remains that a test of that sort costs a great deal more than it is worth.

THE Dakota Constitutional Convention in session at Sioux Falls, adjourned sine die Saturday, after a session of sixteen working days. The expenses of the session will be about $10,000—half the amount appropriated by the Territorial Legislature. The proposed State Constitution was adopted section by section. Just before final adjournment addresses on the Statehood movement, full of hopeful and congratulatory expressions, were made by Major Kellam, Colonel Parker and Judge Edgerton. A call has been issued by Chairman Melitte of the Republican Central Committee for a meeting of the committee at Huron to prepare a call for a State Convention.

NEW YORK *Sun*: The Republican party was formed in New York in 1855, just thirty years ago. In the election of 1855 the Know-Nothings carried the State, very much to the surprise of both Democrats and Republicans. Since then the Republicans have elected the Governor seven times and the Democrats six times. The Democrats have elected what are called the State officers eight times and the Republicans have also secured them eight times, though to speak with absolute accuracy a portion of the ticket of each party prevailed in two of these contests. During the thirty years since the formation of the Republican party in New York, that organization has given the Electoral vote of this State to its Presidential candidate five times, while the Democrats have obtained it for their candidate three times. These facts prove that for the last thirty years this has been a close and doubtful State.

JOHN KELLY'S Rochester, N. Y., Shoes, in all styles, hand sewed, hand turned and machine, from $3 to $5. This grade of shoes has gained the largest popularity in the country by its durability and style. J. H. Black & Son are the sole and only agents for this fine ladies' shoe. 31 dtf

Poor Pants Cutters

Learn many systems, but Veale, the glove-fitting pants cutter, has just returned from the east with a full line of goods, and lovers of good fitting pants will do well to call on *James Veale, French Cutter from Cork, Prairie, New Ullrich Block.* s31m

Remnants,

Stacks of them, comprising a little of everything in the Dry Goods line, most of them in lengths to make dresses for ladies, misses, or children. We offer them at half value. CHEAP STORE.
Big 18 29 d&w1w

Cyclone.

Burt's Shoes are time-tried. L. L. Ferriss & Co. handle them; also all latest Sensations in foot gear. 15-d&wtf

BASKETS of every variety at the 99 Cent Store, from a lunch basket to a clothes hamper. sept21-dtf

GENTS contemplating attending the V. P. ball, should call at John Irwin's White Front and procure the regulation Dress Shirt. A limited quantity just received 21-d6

THE TURF.

Jerome Park Races.

NEW YORK, September 30.—The first race at Jerome Park yesterday was for three-year-olds and upwards, with winning penalties and maiden allowances; over mile and a furlong: Strathspey, first; Farole, second; Buckstone, third. Time, 1:59.

Second Race—Was the champagne stakes for two-year-olds, with winning penalties; over three-quarters of a mile: Dewdrop, first, Inspector B., second; Laudsdowne, third. Time, 1:18 3-4.

Third Race—Was the hunter stakes for three-year-old fillies; one and one-fourth miles: East Lynne, first; Maumee, second; *Heartsease*, third. Time, 3:44.

Fourth Race—Was a free handicap sweepstake; one mile and three-sixteenths: Jennings, first; Long Knight, second; Wallflower, third. Time, 2:56 3-4.

Fifth Race—Was a selling purse for all ages; three-fourths of a mile: Tabitha, first; Bonnie S., second, Saluda, third. Time, 1:19.

Sixth Race—Was a handicap hurdle race of a mile and three furlongs, over six hurdles: Quebec, first; Tarquin, second; Schoolmaster, third. Time, 2:40.

Louisville Races.

LOUISVILLE, KY., September 30.—First Race—One mile and a quarter: Gray Cloud, first; Biddy Bowling, second; Pattie W., third. Time, 2:20.

Second Race—Nine furlongs, the Bruce stakes for three-year-olds: Kalata, first; Hazaras, second; Volante, third. Time, 2:02.

Third Race—One mile, for all ages: Revoke, first; Warrington, second; Lord Clifton, third. Time, 1:56.

Fourth Race—Three-quarters of a mile for two-year-olds: Moonshine, first; Red Girl, second, Rochelle, third. Time, 1:21.

Fifth Race—One and one-half miles for all ages: Glandalia, first; Lucy B., second; Madison, third. Time, 2:47 3-4.

Chester Park Races.

CINCINNATI, O., September 30.—Yesterday was the first day of the races at Chester Driving Park. The attendance was good.

First Race—2:40 class; purse $800: Jessie Hammond won; Nettie H., second; Hanadallah, third. Best time, 2:31.

Second Race—2:25 class; purse $800: Harry C. won; Little Tommie, second; Mary Sprague, third. Best time, 2:27 1-4.

Grand Concert.

On next Tuesday evening, Oct. 6, The Von Elsner Concert Co., consisting of Miss Emma Von Elsner, sister of the late Marie Litta, Don Von Elsner, cornetist, Prof. A. Beuter, pianist, and other well-known talent, will give a concert at Smith's Opera House. Admission 35 and 50 cents. Seats on sale at Curtis & Co.'s.

BY TELEGRAPH

FROM WASHINGTON.

Treasure Ships Strewn With Coin By the Bursting of Money Bags.

Colonel Switzler Preparing a Codification of Laws for the Bureau of Statistics.

Resigned By Request—Consolidation Recommended—Weary of Official Life.

The Pan Electric Company.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 30.—The prominence given to the Pan-Electric Company by the suit brought against the Bell Telephone Company, under the authority of the Department of Justice, has led to inquiry as to the origin and character of the Pan Electric Company, which was organized in this city some years ago. It appears that it was organized by Messrs. Rogers—father and son—with a nominal capital of $5,000,000, the object being to develop the undiscovered in electric science through the agency of the genius of the junior Rogers, whose merits as a scientist and inventor the elder Rogers lost no opportunity to proclaim. Senator Harris and Casey Young, relatives of the Rogers, were, it is alleged, given each a half million stock for the nominal sum of $120, and Attorney-General Garland, R. F. Looney, of Memphis; General Joe Johnston and one or two others are said to have been taken into the company on the same basis, the only stipulation being that they should not put their stock on the market until it reached par, while the Rogers' retained the right to work off the remaining amount of stock at such figures as they might be able to obtain. It is stated that Attorney-General Garland was unwarily led into the scheme by certain Senators who were more familiar with the details.

Money Bags Eaten By Ants.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 30.—The work of unloading the treasure ships Swatara and Yantic was continued yesterday. It was found that many of the bags in which the money was carried were infested with ants and eaten so badly that they burst open when the attempt was made to lift them, strewing the coins over the floor of the room in which they are being unpacked. Other bags were damaged by the dampness of the vessel's hold and burst in the same way as those eaten by the ants. In some cases the coins were carried loosely, the bags having given way, and it is said some of them worked their way through the crevices of the boxes. It can not be told until the money is accounted whether or not any is missing. In each bag were carried a thousand dollars, with four bags in each box. Some two or three hundred of the bags opened yesterday were found damaged as indicated above.

Resigned by Request.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 30.—Captain Sherman A. Johnson, Chief of the Division of Records, Files and Mails, of the Secretary's Office of the Treasury, has tendered his resignation by request, and it has been accepted to take effect September 20th, when Mr. Valentine P. Snyder, of Albany, will succeed him. Mr. Snyder came to Washington as Secretary Manning's private secretary, but was subsequently appointed chief clerk of the treasury office, has since been on a continual inspection or investigating and counting tour of the various sub-treasuries, and is now to be transferred from his chief clerkship to be a chief of division.

Captain Johnson was appointed to a clerkship in 1869, and has been in the service ever since. He is regarded as a faithful and efficient officer.

Preparing a System of Regulations.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 30.—Colonel Switzler, Chief of the Bureau of Statistics, is preparing a codification of the laws governing his bureau to submit to the Secretary of the Treasury for his approval, and by him to Congress for its adoption. The revised law will contain provisions designed to secure greater accuracy in the statistics of immigration from the Dominion of Canada, and from Europe through Canada, and to amend existing laws so as to make it possible to obtain full and accurate returns of our exports to Canada, and more clearly to define the scope of the reports on internal commerce, and annually issued in the name of the Bureau to the "Bureau of Commerce." Colonel Switzler is also considering the policy of placing the enumeration of the Federal census under the control of the Bureau.

Endangering the Public With Small-Pox.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 30.—Surgeon Austin reports to the Surgeon-General of the Marine Hospital Service that many of the employes of the Grand Trunk Railroad are French Canadians and have families sick with small-pox in Montreal. A customs officer states that the wife of a conductor is sick with small-pox in Montreal, and that he visits her daily but still continues his duties on the trains. This will be stopped by the inspector. The United States Consul at Montreal reports 145 deaths from small-pox September 20th to 23d inclusive, and during the same period in municipalities adjoining Montreal thirty-one deaths.

Consolidation Recommended.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 30.—The Secretary of the Treasury has recommended that the division of currency be consolidated with the division of coupons, and that the resignation of Chief Neale of the former be accepted; also that the resignation of N. B. Walker, Chief of the division of the tonnage, which was formerly attached to the Register's Bureau, but which has since been transferred to the Bureau of Navigation, be accepted.

G. A. R. Grant Memorial Meeting.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 30.—The members of the Grand Army of the Republic of this city will hold a Grant memorial meeting to-morrow evening. General Logan will deliver the address. The President and members of the Cabinet have been invited and are expected to be present.

New Postal Arrangement.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 30.—South Australia has asked for a convention with the United States for the delivery of all prepaid correspondence without any additional charge upon the delivery, and for the exchange of money orders. The request will be granted.

Weary of Official Life.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 30.—Mr. H. G. Jacobs, the Assistant Supervising Architect of the Treasury, tendered his resignation to Secretary Manning yesterday, desiring to engage in private business.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 30.—The President to-day appointed David B. Asbury Supervising Inspector of steam vessels for the Fourth District of St. Louis.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 30.—The President has just appointed James T. Healy to be Assistant United States Treasurer at Chicago; W. T. Waller to be First Lieutenant in the Marine Corps.

THE FALL CAMPAIGNS.

Mr. Tilden Deeply Interested in the New York and Ohio Elections.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., September 30.—Chairman Hensel of the Democratic State Committee returned Monday after passing Sunday with Mr. Tilden at Greystone. Mr. Hensel reports Tilden's physical condition as poor, but declares that mentally he is perfectly sound. Being asked if anything was said about politics, Mr. Hensel replied: "I can say that he takes an active interest in politics, which he shows by pertinent inquiries and by close attention to that topic in reading and in conversation. While I was at Greystone he inquired what I heard of the campaign in Ohio. He then asked with a smile, 'What will be the Republican majority in Pennsylvania?' 'We propose to have a Democratic majority in Pennsylvania,' I answered. He was greatly pleased at the prospect."

"What did he say of the Democratic ticket in New York?"

"I can only answer that Tilden showed himself heartily and earnestly interested in its success. Yes, he expressed himself as in warm sympathy with the Democratic party both in New York and Ohio, and he was especially delighted by the information that Pennsylvania may go Democratic."

IN JOINT DEBATE.

Judge Foraker and Governor Hoadly to Discuss the Issues of the Ohio Campaign.

COLUMBUS, O., September 30.—The following letter was yesterday sent to the Republican and Prohibition Executive Committees:

GENTLEMEN—The correspondence already had by your committees respectively with ourselves clearly shows that all three committees claim they desire a debate between the three candidates for Governor, for the purpose of definitely settling the matter. We hereby challenge Judge J. B. Foraker and Dr. A. B. Leonard to meet Governor Hoadly in debate upon the issues of the present campaign. If this challenge is accepted our Chairman will meet you or any delegate from your committees at once in order to arrange the details immediately. We suggest, however, that we meet to-morrow (Wednesday) evening at seven o'clock at the rooms of the Republican State Executive Committee at Columbus, or will meet any other day or place you may suggest. Please let us hear from you immediately. [Signed] T. E. POWELL.

The following is Bushnell's reply:

DEAR SIR: We accept your challenge for Judge Foraker to debate with Governor Hoadly, either alone or in company with Dr. Leonard, as he may prefer, on condition, however, that if Governor Hoadly desires Dr. Leonard to help him he shall divide his time with him. You can arrange in your own way with Dr. Leonard's committee, as that is exclusively your own affair. We are prepared to meet representatives of your committee at our committee rooms to-morrow evening at seven o'clock.
[Signed] A. S. BUSHNELL, Chairman.

The answer of Chairman Thompson was as follows:

SPRINGFIELD, O., September 29.
To Hon. T. E. Powell, Chairman:
Your challenge is accepted on the understanding that each of the debaters is to have equal time. Wire answer as soon as you hear from Captain Bushnell, and I will meet you in person or by representative at such time and place as you and he may choose.
[Signed] A. R. THOMPSON, Chairman.

NEW YORK POLITICS.

General Slocum Declines.

NEW YORK, September 30.—General H. W. Slocum, who was offered by the Democratic State Committee, the nomination for Lieutenant-Governor, declined the honor. He was asked by a reporter to-day if he would give the reasons for his action. He replied that he had no wish for the office. Among other reasons influencing him was the fact that certain newspapers had represented him as a chronic office-seeker. On this point he would only add that he had been nominated for Congress three times, and been elected every time. This was the extent of his office-seeking.

General E. F. Jones Nominated.

NEW YORK, September 30.—A member of the State Committee said yesterday afternoon that after General Slocum had refused the nomination for Lieutenant-Governor, Governor Hill urged upon the Committee the name of General E. F. Jones, of Binghampton, who commanded the Sixth Massachusetts in its memorable march through Baltimore in 1861.

General Jones received the nomination at the hands of the committee, and has consented to accept.

The Soutler Failure.

NEW YORK, September 30.—A member of the suspended firm of Soutler & Co. states that the embarrassment of the firm was in a measure due to recent heavy drafts, probably caused by the litigation growing out of the suits of Charlotte, the Duchess De Auxy, against W. K. Soutler and Agnes G. Soutler, as executor and executrix of the will of Jas. T. Soutler, and against the firm. The plaintiff is a daughter of the late Gazaway D. Lamar, ex-President of the Bank of the Republic. She is the widow of James T. Soutler, and her suit is to compel the defendants to show why they sold securities left in their charge when the will directed that they should be apportioned among the legatees. Her portion of the estate is valued at $600,000. Mr. Soutler is a leader in society, and his sister is the wife of Rev. Morgan Dix, of Trinity Church.

You can get the best $3.00 Shoe in Button, Lace and Congress, at Barber & Baker's. You can get the best tipped School Shoes for children, cheap, at Barber & Baker's. You can get Ladies' Kid Toe Slippers for 50c, all sizes, at Barber & Baker's. You can get Ladies' Kid, Hand-turned Shoes, cheap, at Barber & Baker's. You can get anything you want in the Shoe line, very cheap, at Barber & Baker's. sept8-d&wtf

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THE Wabash, on Tuesday, October 6th, will sell special round trip excursion tickets from Decatur to Chicago, at $3.50, good going on regular trains leaving at 12:15 a. m. and 12 o'clock, noon; good returning on any regular train up to and including the 20th. 26-dtd

DON'T forget to see the popular Emery $3.00 Gents' Shoe. It has gained a very large popularity, and is sold by J. H. Black & Son. 31-dtf

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Students in the 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th years are requested to call at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s and buy their fall and winter Shoes. sept15 d&wtf

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SPORTING.

The Chicago Club Wins a Notable Victory From New York.

An Exciting Contest Witnessed By Over Ten Thousand Enthusiastic Spectators.

Base Ball News Elsewhere—The Turf—The Genesta Prepares for the Homeward Voyage.

CHICAGO, ILL., September 30.—Ten thousand spectators watched Chicago win a well-earned victory over the New York club yesterday, and yelled themselves hoarse over the many remarkably fine plays with which the game bristled. Rows of seats a dozen deep had been placed in front of the grand stand. A line of chairs fringed the top of the private boxes. More chairs were plentifully sprinkled about the top of the grand stand and a row of benches stretched entirely around the field. On this account it was agreed that whenever a ball was batted into the line of spectators on these benches three bases should be taken. Up in the boxes was a large delegation from New York. Among the occupants were N. E. Young, President of the League; President John B. Day, Secretary Walter Appleton and Director H. E. Dillingham, of the New York Club. In adjoining boxes sat a group of New York reporters and friends of the visiting club, including several ladies. Shortly after two o'clock the visiting nine, headed by Austin's First Regiment Band, marched up the field. Their reception was all that could be wished. Twenty minutes later the band escorted the home nine to the field. If the cheering had been hearty before, it was deafening then. In spite of the big lead taken by Chicago in the first inning, the contest was most exciting and interesting from the start to the finish. A better game of ball was never played on the home grounds. Outside the batteries not an error was made on either side. The batting was terrific. Chicago batted Welch freely, rattling out singles and triples in quick succession. New York hit McCormick, but the visitors failed to place their hits, and although they made the home nine fielders earn their salaries, very few of them succeeded in finding the first base bag. It was this heavy batting and faultless fielding that made the game so intensely exciting for the onlookers.

SUMMARY.

CHICAGO.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Dalrymple, l. f.	0	1	6	0	1
Gore, c. f.	1	0	1	1	0
Kelly, c.	3	5	6	0	4
Anson, 1b.	1	1	5	1	0
Pfeffer, 2b.	1	2	2	2	0
Williamson, 3b.	1	1	2	0	0
Burns, s. s.	0	1	4	2	1
McCormick, p.	0	2	1	5	1
Sunday, r. f.	0	1	0	0	0
Total	7	14	27	11	7

NEW YORKS.	R.	1B.	PO.	A.	E.
O'Rourke, c. f.	1	1	1	0	0
Connor, 1b.	0	1	9	1	0
Ewing, c.	0	2	6	2	2
Gillespie, l. f.	0	0	1	1	0
Dorgan, r. f.	0	0	1	0	0
Richardson, 3b.	0	0	0	1	0
Welch, p.	1	2	1	3	5
Gerhardt, 2b.	0	1	1	5	0
Ward, s. s.	2	1	7	2	0
Totals	4	7	27	15	7

Earned runs—Chicago, 6; New Yorks, 3.
Base on balls—Chicago, 4; New York, 3.
Struck out—Chicago, 2; New York, 3.
Left on bases—Chicago, 8; New Yorks, 3.
Three base hits—Kelly (3), Pfeffer, Williamson, McCormick.
Double plays—Gillespie, Ward, Gerhardt, Connor, Ward.
Passed balls—Chicago, 1; New York, 1.
Wild pitches—Welch, 1.
Umpire, Curry. Time, one hour and fifty-five minutes.

Score of Games Played Tuesday, September 29th.

New York.—St. Louis Browns, 3; Metropolitans, 1.

Chicago, Ill.—Chicagos, 7; New Yorks, 4.

Detroit, Mich.—Detroits, 13; Providences, 1.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Pittsburghs, 6; Athletics, 3.

Baltimore, Md.—Baltimores, 10; Louisvilles, 7.

Buffalo, N. Y.—Bostons, 12; Buffalos, 3.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Brooklyns, 2; Cincinnatis, 7.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the postoffice at Decatur, Macon county, Ill., for week ending Sept 30, 1886:

Baker H C
Baker Geo & Co
Beyer Henry
Bell Mrs Martha
Blue Miss Maud
Burtnet J M
Brummell J W
Bortin Miss Kate
Burke Michael
Brown Thomas
Burgess William
Brison Miss Laura
Custek Elmore
Cathman Jerry
Carmean James
Cortear Lillie
Conard Pat
Curry I R
Caldwell N B
Elder C A
Elkin Fred M
Erlington John
Egger John
Elder Joe
Fletcher Miss Daisy
Ford Miss Ellie
Frazee Mary H
Fulton Miss Maggie
Faatz Theo
Fletcher Theron
Gallagher Wm
Good M J
Good James E
Hamilton Miss Belle
Henry Edward
Hurst Mrs Emma J
Hunter Joseph
Hamilton R
Johnson J E
Jacobs Mrs Mary Ann
Longe John
Minns B B
Montgomery A A
Montgomery Miss C
Montgomery Mrs T M
Miller Miss Grace
Murphy Mrs J H
Malory Miss Lana
Miller Miss Lillia
Morris Milton
Morrison S M
McNeal J H
McCorley John
McLain Mrs Jane
Mitchell James
Merit Siloamie
Owen Miss Bettie
Pierce Miss Annie L
Quinn Lincoln
Robinson Mrs Louisa
Shepard Miss Lillian
Sipe Mrs Mary
Stern Adolph
Staley Miss Ela
Stewart Miss Lilly
Sursa Willie
Stewart Miss Sarah
Tidd Miss Eliza
Travis J S
Teusdill W F
Travis W T
Waller Miss Harriette
Walker Miss Lizzie
Watts Miss Mollie
Ware S O
Wright Mrs Belle
Wright Mrs C A
Wallis Ed
Williams Frank
Johnson Mrs Ada M
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Mooney Mrs Ada
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The Genesta Preparing for the Trip Homeward.

NEW YORK, September 30.—The English cutter Genesta lay at anchor off Tompkinsville yesterday morning. The English pilot, Wm. Gilchrist, who arrived Monday, came aboard about noon. Under his directions the crew rolled up the racing sails of the Genesta, and late yesterday afternoon the topmast and main mast were unshipped and unstepped and the jury mast rigged, preparatory for the yacht's start for England on Saturday. Captain Carter says he expects to make the home voyage in seventeen days.

The English Victorious.

BOSTON, September 30.—The International cricket games closed yesterday with a victory for the Englishmen, 112 to 96.

LYNCHED.

The Murderers of the Finch and Gunter Families Swung Up at Pittsboro, N. C.

RALEIGH, N. C., September 30.—Monday night four negroes, Jerry Finch, his wife, Lee Tyson and John Pattishill, were lynched one mile from Pittsboro, Chatham County. They were taken from jail and their bodies were found this morning suspended to a tree, near the public road. This is the terrible sequel to the triple murder of the Finch family on the night of last Fourth of July, and the murder of the Gunter family near the same spot some eighteen months ago. There were two of Finch's family, Edward, aged seventy-nine, and his sister, aged eighty-one. They were found on the morning of Sunday, July 5th, lying on the floor with their throats cut. Near them lay their servant, a negro boy aged sixteen. All had been knocked on the head with an axe. Suspicion early rested on the negro, Jerry Finch, and he was arrested. It was a great task from the first to prevent the lynching of these parties. Lee Tyson was afterward arrested, and some time later, John Pattishill was taken in on the charge of being concerned in the Gunter murder, and possibly in the Finch murder. He was said to have been seen near the spot where the Gunters were killed, and next morning was in another county and told the first news known there of the crime. Detectives from Richmond worked up the case. The verdict of the jury was long delayed, they feeling that if it was adverse to the prisoners they would be promptly lynched. The verdict, when rendered, was against the prisoners. A majority of the people appear to be satisfied that these people were guilty of two murders, for the two were connected.

CHICAGO GAMBLING HOUSES RAIDED.

Ninety Inmates and a Large Amount of Property Captured.

CHICAGO, ILL., September 29.—Promptly at nine o'clock last evening squads of policemen in citizens' clothes went to eight of the down-town gambling-houses. Four houses were found open and running in full blast; the others were closed. Guards were placed at the doors and windows of the houses, while the balance of the policemen busied themselves in collecting the chips and gambling tools preparatory to taking them away. Before ten minutes expired six patrol wagons were clustered about the corner of Clark and Madison streets. Squads of uniformed policemen jumped down from them. Headed by a Lieutenant or a Sergeant each squad broke away by itself and marched up into a gambling-house. Clark street from Monroe to Randolph, swarmed with a curious multitude. A few minutes elapsed and then the policemen appeared with the men who were caught in the houses. They were loaded into the patrol wagons and carted down to the Harrison Street Station. Twenty-eight tables were captured, with ninety inmates, and taken to the station. There the tables were smashed up in the alley back of the station and burned. A couple of bushels of chips, several dozen faro-boxes and as many counters were also destroyed. The raid was conducted under the direction of Captain Buckley. It was well planned, and so well carried out that it was a surprise to all the houses which had opened.

Railroad Employes to Be Vaccinated.

ROUSE'S POINT, N. Y., September 30.—Although no small-pox has appeared here as yet, extraordinary precautions against the disease are being taken. The officials of the Delaware & Hudson, Grand Trunk, Ogdensburg & Lake Champlain and Central Vermont railroads have ordered all employes to be vaccinated, and the town authorities have enforced the vaccination of all school children. Every effort is being made to prevent the entrance of the disease into the State at this place.

Four Colored Women Assaulted—Two Killed.

AUSTIN, TEX., September 29.—The city is again agitated over four mysterious outrages which were committed west of the capitol at two o'clock yesterday morning. The victims are all colored and were servants in the employ of Mr. Dunham. Mrs. Gracie Vance and Mrs. Orange Washington were murdered outright, and Lucinda Roddy and Kitty Johnson were fatally injured with an axe. Oliver Townsend, a negro, has been arrested on suspicion, and the police and Deputy Sheriffs of the city are out in search of other suspected parties.

The President and Cabinet Invited to Richmond, Va.

RICHMOND, VA., September 29.—The Common Council of Richmond last evening passed a series of resolutions inviting President Cleveland and Cabinet to visit that city during the Virginia State Fair, October 2d, and appointed a committee to make suitable arrangements.

An Answer Wanted.

Can any one bring us a case of Kidney or Liver Complaint that Electric Bitters will not cure speedily? We say they can not, as thousands of cases already permanently cured and are daily recommending Electric Bitters, will prove. Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Weak Back, or any urinary complaint quickly cured. They purify the blood, regulate the bowels and act directly on the diseased parts. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale at 50c a bottle by Swearingen & Hubbard. a1

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One full jeweled Lady's Stem-winding Solid Gold Watch.
One Style 13 Packard Organ, from Prescott's Music Store.
One Fine Road Cart, from Wayne & Anderson, manufacturers of Celebrated Road Carts.
One Decorated Tea Set, 56 pieces, from E. D. Bartholomew & Co.
One Lady's Stem-winding Chatelaine Silver Watch, from H. Post, jeweler.
One $12 Boy's Suit of Clothes, from J. R. Race & Co.
One fine Celluloid Set, from S. M. Irwin, Druggist.
One eight-day Seth Thomas Clock, from O. E. Curtis & Co., leading jewelers.
One double barrel Breech loading Shot Gun, from E. C. Reese.
One Cooking Stove from G. W. Scovill, the House Furnisher.
One fine Meerschaum Pipe.
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With each 25c received in my line will entitle the purchaser to a ticket in my Donation, August 10, 1886. All tickets drawing prizes must be presented within 30 days.

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Without giving a long list of names of stoves kept in stock, I would respectfully ask that you take the trouble to call, examine them and note the low prices.
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KING LEAR.

LEAR ...... W. E. Sheridan
CORDELIA ...... Miss Davenport

The sale of seats for both evenings will begin at Curtis & Co.'s, Wednesday morning, Sept 30.

Admission, 50 and 75 cents. Reserved seats, $1.00.

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Baby Show from 1 to 5 o'clock.
SUPPER Thursday and Friday Evenings, from 5 to 7 o'clock, for 25 cents.
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WEDNESDAY EVE., SEPT. 30, 1885.

LOCAL NEWS.

For a nice and cheap stand or hanging lamp go to
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Two weddings this evening.

Prayer meetings this evening.

Almond macaroons on sale at the cracker factory.

Dinner and supper will be served at the Hospital fair to-morrow and Friday.

Chicago 7; New York 4. Ten thousand people saw the game yesterday.

Grand Soiree at Amory Hall Tuesday evening, Oct. 6th, from 9½ to 12 o'clock. First-class music. By Prof. Fero.

For a nice suit of clothes cheap, call at Cheap Charley's. d&w

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen will give a dance at Guards' Armory Friday evening, Oct. 9th.

Fresh ginger snaps and graham wafers at the Steam Bakery.

Mt. Pulaski was surveyed, platted and lots sold in 1836. The original proprietors were Jabez Capps, Barton Robinson and George W. Turley. The two former are still living.

Choice country butter and fresh eggs, any day, at Lehman & Bolen's grocery store.

Owing to other attractions and the rain last night, the Catherine Lewis "Gladys" party had a very light audience, but those who were there say it was an enjoyable entertainment. Miss Lewis appeared in catching songs and dances.

D. F. Hamsher makes a specialty of *repairing spring wagons and buggies.* Give him a trial.

Prof. Fero's class in fashionable dancing will meet at Armory Hall, on Tuesday evening, Oct. 6th, at 7½ o'clock.

The location of the Home is yet unsettled. No matter where it goes, the usual low prices for carpets and wall-paper will prevail at Abel & Locke's establishment.

The annual reunion of Ex-Prisoners of the War of the Rebellion will be held in Bloomington the 21st and 22d of October. Every ex-prisoner who attends will be the guest of the people of Bloomington, and will be provided with lodging and board and be entertained during his stay. All communications relative to the reunion should be addressed to Hon. Ivory Pike or Lewis Ijams, Bloomington.

Plenty of oats and corn at Niedermeyer's grocery store, on the Mound. Order by telephone.

Owing to the engagement of the Armory for the 9th, Prof. Fero has been compelled to change the evening of his coming. He will be here Tuesday, October 6th, at the Armory.

The popular place for standard musical instruments is at C. B. Prescott's parlor, in opera block.

The great Buffalo Bill and Sitting Bull Wild West show will be at Sportsman's Park, at St. Louis, during fair week, commencing on Oct. 31. Buffalo Bill was in Decatur the past summer, and no doubt many of our people will take in the big show when they go to the fair.

Recently Rev. Mrs. Gibb, of this city, attended the Kansas State Universalist Church convention, held at Minneapolis, Kansas. She delivered a discourse of which the *Democrat* said: "The subject was, 'Is Christianity Progressive?' Rarely have we listened to a discourse embodying as much advanced thought, enlightened judgment and judicious instruction as here. It was grand and noble, and the audience were hardly restrained from manifesting their approval by open expressions of approval.

Telephone 130—Hanks & Patterson—when you want reliable family groceries delivered promptly at your homes.

Cholera is again sweeping hogs off by the hundreds south and west of Mt. Pulaski. One party in the last few weeks lost over 200 head. Hogs near Champaign and Bement are dying by the score of cholera.

Roller Skating Shoes at Freeman Bros. 28-d1m

The mammoth and elegant cakes at the Meyer-Housum wedding last night were from Brewer's Bakery, which means that they could not have been better.

Fresh Oysters daily at the European Restaurant, No. 114 North Water street. 28 d6

The up-town office of the Decatur Coal Company is at W. C. Armstrong's drug store, where orders for Coal, in any quantity, will receive immediate attention. Telephone connection with the mine. sept19-dtf

Have your Boots and Shoes made at Busher & Hutchin's. sept15-d&wtf

Beware of imitations of the Round Oak Stove. The genuine is sold only by Ferguson & Dillehunt. s25-d&w2w

Go to Busher & Hutchin and buy your winter Boots and Shoes. You can save 25 per cent. on your shoe bills. 15d&wtf

Ladies' warm lined Shoes, cheap, at Busher & Hutchin's. 15 d&wtf

Order Decatur Coal by telephone from Hanks & Patterson's store, 133 South Water street. sept19-d1w

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Freeman Bros. don't sell shoddy or damaged goods. sept24-d1mo

Freeman Bros., 114 Merchant street, will sell Boots and Shoes cheaper than any store in Decatur. sept21-d1mo

Oysters by the can at Wood Bros. a1-d1m

Freeman Bros. have exclusive sale of the best lines of Men's Women's and Children's Shoes. sept21 d1mo

Freeman Bros. have the Best $1 50, $2, $2.50 and $3 Shoes in town 24-d1m

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For Children,	Machine and Hand Sewed.
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A Beautiful French Card given with all sales of $3 or over. 19-d&wtf

Call at the 99 Cent Store, if you want an umbrella. For $1.98 we sell an alpaca or rubber; for $1.50 you can get a fine French gingham, and an elegant waterproof for 99c. sept21-dtf

The Judge's Notion.

After the adjournment of court yesterday Judge Hughes remarked to an attorney that when he began the term here next Monday he would remain on the bench in this county until all the business of the term was disposed of, and that he would not go away to another county under any ordinary circumstances until his duties here were fully discharged. He stated further that if there were not enough judges in the circuit to keep all the courts going, he couldn't help it, and that he didn't propose to run about the district trying to do the work of two or more judges. He *is* tired out now, and finding that he cannot remedy the statutory provisions about the time of opening and holding courts in the different counties, he has decided to stay in one county until he winds up the cases on the dockets and then go to the next. This seems to be the most sensible plan. The Judge hopes to get through with the court business here within five weeks, ending about Nov. 4th.

A Church Wedding.

The marriage of Mr. Peter Hickey, the well-known salesman at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s store, and Miss Annie Russell, was solemnized early this (Wednesday) morning at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, in the presence of a large company of friends. The attendants were Mr. George Russell, brother of the bride, and Miss Annie Hickey, sister of the groom. The connubial knot was securely tied by Rev. Father Mackin. This evening at No. 500 East Durfee street, Mr. and Mrs. Russell, parents of the bride, will give the couple and invited guests a reception. Mr. and Mrs. Hickey will reside on West Wood street. The Republican offers its congratulations.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Loeb are home from Ohio.

Capt. Barrett left for Little Rock, Ark., to-day on business.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Knight have gone west on a visit.

C. M. Imboden left for Springfield last evening, to work for the Home.

Chas. P. Housum leaves to-night for New York on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Prescott will arrive from New York about October 15th.

J. H. Krebs has been confined to his bed with malarial fever and brain fever for over a week. He is now convalescent.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sheets, Sept. 29, three miles east of the city, a son.

H. C. Bohon, a merchant from Kentucky, is in the city visiting his brother, R. S. Bohon.

Miss Bessie Young, of Chicago, who has been visiting her uncle, Robert Carens, in Long Creek township, departed for her home to-day noon.

Joseph Mills is at Salina, Kansas, visiting his daughter, Mrs. John B. Shellabarger. Miss Corinne will return with her father.

Will Barnes departs to-night for Boston, to resume his studies at the Harvard Medical University. He will graduate within a year.

The invitations are out for the marriage of Mr. Ellis Armstrong and Miss Mamie Wood, which will occur on Oct. 8th, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Wood.

Mayor Kanan returned from Springfield last evening. He says all but two of the Home Commission had arrived at the capital yesterday. The Commission will examine all papers to-day, and may not reach a vote until the last of the week.

The marriage of Mr. Roy Gipson, son of Ex-Ald. Gipson, and Miss Mamie Smith, will be celebrated next Monday evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Smith. The cards are out.

Reuben Betzer got home this morning from Magnetic Springs and other points in Ohio, greatly refreshed by the trip. He left Judge Greer and Mr. Eichinger at the Springs, both in improved health. The Judge will arrive home within a few weeks.

Mistaken Identity.

Mr. D. M. Fleming, of Piqua, O., who came here to attend the wedding of his niece, was the victim of an amusing blunder yesterday afternoon. He went to Norman's barber shop to have his face put into proper condition for the joyous event of the evening, and after coming from the hands of the tonsorial artist with a countenance as smooth as an infant's and feeling as fresh as a May morning, he accosted a hatless and coatless young man whom he saw coming down the stairway from the bath room, and asked him if he could have some laundry work attended to in the morning. The young man replied that he presumed he could. "Well," said the genial Buckeye, "the last time I was here, a couple of years ago, I had some work done here, and I had a thundering hard time getting it. Now, I don't want to be disappointed this time, and don't you forget it." "All right," said the young man, "send it along and you will have no cause of complaint," and the satisfied gentleman from Ohio took his departure. On reaching the sidewalk an amused friend who was with him laughingly inquired: "Do you know who that young man is that you were playing for a washee-washee?" "No," said Mr. F., "but I suppose he is one of the attaches of the laundry." "Why," said his friend, "that's George Meyer, the young man who is to marry your niece." The new version furnished no word adequate to express the chagrin of the Piqua gentleman. It required the old fashioned word to fill the bill.

In our issue of Monday a very annoying and ridiculous statement was made in reference to the Pease Sisters Combination. It was stated that the company had appeared at Beardsdale for a week. They have not been anywhere near Decatur since they started out. They were at Beardstown last week, and made a very favorable impression.

The members of the Soldiers' Home Commission are in secret session at the Leland Hotel, at Springfield, looking over the papers filed for their inspection. A vote on the important question of location may be reached to-night or to-morrow.

"Knickerbocker," "Le Bean," and "La Rass," at Armory Hall, Tuesday evening, Oct. 6th, by Prof. Fero.

New Fall Goods.

Latest styles and cheapest in the state, considering quality and workmanship. James Veale, the French cutter from Cork, now has on hand the most elegant line of Fall and Winter Goods, and is better than ever prepared to make fine suits for his old customers, and as many new ones as will give him a call. Good fits and fine workmanship guaranteed.

James Veale,
30-d1m French Cutter from Cork.

WEDDING BELLS.

The Meyer-Housum Marriage a Brilliant Social Event.

One of the most charming and enjoyable parties given in Decatur for a long time was that given by Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Housum last evening, the occasion being the celebration of the nuptials of their daughter, "Mellie," and Mr. George W. Meyer, a deservedly popular young business man of the city. Notwithstanding the forbidding weather a very large party assembled, and, while awaiting the time fixed for the ceremony, 7:30 o'clock, engaged in conversation and admiring the tasteful decorations of the residence. These were most excellent in design, without being so profuse as to seem out of keeping with the season. Wreaths of smilax covered the chandeliers and banks of flowers ornamented the mantels, while a beautiful canopy of smilax and flowers hung from the ceiling. From this canopy were suspended the initials of the two families, M. and H., over which was a yoke wrought in white flowers.

Promptly at 7:30 the orchestra led by Prof. Olot Bull, stationed in the hall, began playing a wedding march, to the music of which the bridal party descended the stairway in the following order: Mr. E. F. Kuny and Miss Minnie Meyer (sister of the groom), Mr. Will Hardy, of Lincoln, Neb., and Miss Letitia King, Little Hortense Lytle and Hugh Housum, pages, the groom and the bride's mother, the bride escorted by her father. Taking up their positions beneath the canopy above described the officiating minister, Rev. W. H. Prestley, proceeded with the ceremony, the bride's father and the high contracting parties speaking the responses in clear and distinct tones. The beautiful and impressive ring ceremony was observed, the orchestra meanwhile playing in subdued strains. After the benediction the guests came forward and tendered their congratulations, and then the party resolved itself into groups, engaging in conversation which was only interrupted by the serving of refreshments, which were of the choicest character, and to which ample justice was done by all present.

The bridal presents were displayed in one of the upper rooms, and were numerous and costly, indeed we do not remember to have ever seen in Decatur a larger or more choice collection of tokens of regard. By special request of the bride a list of the presents is omitted, though we cannot refrain from mentioning those of the parents of the bride and groom. The groom's parents presented a deed to the handsome cottage at No. 252 South Broadway, to which his mother added a full set of table ware of very beautiful design. The bride's parents were represented in the collection by a very handsome silver tea and water set of very beautiful pattern. Among the other presents were choice articles of silverware, glassware, china, bronzes, clocks, pictures, toilet sets, furniture, linen, etc. The presents were much admired by all the guests.

THE TOILETS.

The bride was richly attired in a white Ottoman silk, square neck, princesse, with white pearl front, trimmed with loops of uncut velvet on one side, and on the other heavy white plush ornaments. The dress had no sleeves, and the neck was trimmed with point lace and pompadour ruching. She wore a long bridal veil, looped with white bridal roses, and carried a bouquet of the same tied with white satin ribbon. Long white mitts completed a toilet that was much admired by all.

The first bridesmaid, Miss King, wore a costume of cream colored albatross cloth, made with short bodice, laced down the front with pink cord, drapery very high in the back, with loops of pink ribbon; in front were two heavy lace flounces, and cascade of lace down the left panel, ornamented with Marechal Niel roses. She carried a bouquet of the same tied with pink satin ribbon, and wore a short veil.

The second bridesmaid, Miss Meyer, wore a cream and blue albatross sleeveless dress, ornamented with cascades of lace and Marechal Niel roses, and carried a bouquet of the same tied with ribbon to match the dress. She wore long, light blue silk mitts, and short veil.

Little Hortense Lytle, page, wore a white lace dress over plain, close-fitting white satin, ornamented with blush roses, and her attendant, Hugh Housum, was clad in black velvet suit, deep lace collar and turned back cuffs, patent leather slippers and black silk hose. Each carried a basket of flowers.

The groom and his attendants wore the regulation evening dress, and all bore themselves with becoming dignity.

Soon after 10 o'clock, the guests began to say their adieux, and before 11 all had departed, when the bride and groom repaired to their new home, at No. 252 South Broadway, which had been fully and completely furnished in anticipation of the happy event of last evening. They bear with them to their new relation in life the best wishes of all who know them, for both have hosts of friends who respect and admire them for their many good qualities.

Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. F. Kuny, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. S. Hewes, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lytle, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nebinger, Mr. and Mrs. D. Dustman, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hellman, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bachman, Mr. and Mrs. George Reubsamen, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Eurman, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ehrman, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Cloyd, Mr. and Mrs. John Ullrich, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Jack, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Prestley, Mr. and Mrs. James Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Maffit, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Hamsher, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hays, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gastman, Mr. and Mrs. K. Harwood, Mr. and Mrs. F. Koseick, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. William Pitcek, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyer, Mrs. H. C. Dempsey, Mrs. H. Davenport, Mrs. Dr. C. Chenoweth, Mrs. D. R. Alexander, Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. Jas. C. Calder, Mrs. Alice Evans, Mrs. H. Chapman, Mrs. Jos. T. Gates, Orlando, Fla., Mr. C. H. Adams, Columbus, O., Misses Fannie Fleming, Mabel Calder, Clara Stommel, Minnie La Roe, Jennie Wells, Sophia Kuny, Libbie Jack, Minnie Bachman, Libbie Bachman, Josephine Stengel, Bessie Green, Alice Tyler, Ella Gore, Annie Maroney, Mollie Maroney, Mabel Alexander, Mary Cloyd, Gussie Koseick, Lena Koseick, Mamie Myer, Little May, and Messrs. H. W. Hill, W. C. Johns, Judge W. E. Nelson, J. R. Mosser, Frank Meyer, Oscar Eater, Frank Wells, Will Bachman, Breck Irwin, John S. Bixby, Arthur Alexander, Harry Hays, Geo. Simpson, Jr., Edwin Kuny, Will Hellman, and Master Dan Pote Housum. Mr. D. M. Fleming, of Piqua, Ohio, and Will E. Hardy, of Lincoln, Neb., were also among the guests.

Regrets were received from Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fletcher, Mt. Zion; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hart, Auburn, Ill.; Mr. Thos. Madden, Indianapolis, Mr. John Higby and family, White Hall, Ill.; Mr. Jos. Housum and family, Reading, Pa.; Mrs. Becky Housum and family, Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hoarum, Cleveland, O.; Miss Annie Griswold, Richmond, Va., Mr. and Mrs. B. Stadelman, Pittsburg, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. John Hill, Oreana, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bone, Emery, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Toof, Memphis, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. James Morrow, Piqua, Ohio; Mrs. Lizzie Starret, Piqua, Ohio, Mr. Geo. Gray, Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Wilkinson, Emporia, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peters, Columbus, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Chandler, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Burch, St. Louis; Miss Minnie Dill, Schremantown, Pa.

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We have in stock at J. Lytle & Co.'s, German Mottled, Ivory, Olive, A. B. C., Babbitt's, Magnetic, Electric Light, Old Country, Marseilles, B. Z. T., Fatherland, White Russian, Borax, Sun, Star and every day Soaps. 29 6

The Organ Recital.

Mr. Clarence Eddy, the talented organist of Chicago, assisted by the choir of 36 voices under the direction of Mr. Lutz, gave a very enjoyable entertaintainment at the First M. E. Church last night, and there was a large audience in attendance despite the inclement state of the weather. The programme as published was observed. Mr. Eddy captivated the audience by his finished playing, *Grison's* Communion in F., *Rossini's* overture to "William Tell," "The Storm" and the closing selection being especially worthy of praise. All numbers on the programme were given faultlessly, but those mentioned were specially good. Mr. Eddy is a master of the instrument, which he handles very gracefully, bringing out the delicate and strong tones of the organ with exquisite effect. He received rapturous applause and responded once with an extra selection. The well-trained choir, which has been heard before in concert, acquitted itself splendidly, and won fresh praise. The Martial Hymn, by the male chorus, was very fine, and Mr. Lutz's solo, "The Bugler," was so well and artistically given that the audience tried hard to get him to give another selection, but he refused, simply bowing his thanks for the expressions of pleasure. The concert was quite a success.

There was a spirited half mile race at the Rink, yesterday, for a prize in which Roo Boynton, Ed. Alexander, Wilkie Judson and Arthur Wheelock participated. Roo was handicapped, but he won, making the circuit of the room 12 times, coming out ahead. Wheelock collided with a post in his frantic efforts to win the pie. Sherry Tuttle and Sam Sloan are willing to back "Buck" for any amount, if more than one pie appears on the platter at the end of the half mile. "Chestnut."

Among the most beautiful gifts presented to the bride at the Meyer-Housum wedding last night, was a pair of lovely table scarfs, elegantly embroidered on a "Domestic" sewing machine, the offering of Miss Annie Maroney.

The birthday anniversary of Mrs. W. E. Hubbard was celebrated to-day, a large number of relatives dining with the family at their home on North Main street. All were hospitably received and nicely entertained.

The brethren and the janitor had a great time at the concert last night trying to find a key that would open one of the panels so that one of the keys could be properly adjusted. The honors were born off by Mr. Imboden, who got more misfit keys fastened in the lock than any one else. The audience was good-natured, and appeared to enjoy the temporary embarrassment of the managers.

Dick Peake is in Chicago this week witnessing the decisive games between the New York and Chicago clubs. Each evening after the games he will send a telegram to Fred Mueller, giving the result, and the same will be posted on the bulletin board on Merchant street. He sent down the glad news last evening.

Mass Meeting.

All Irishmen and other friends of Ireland and her cause, are invited to attend a mass meeting to be held in the hall over Stoner's drug store, on Thursday evening, Oct. 1st. The object of the meeting will be fully stated at the hall.

Committee.

Mrs. J. H. Lewis, having returned from her western trip, will be at home at 216 West William street, after October 5th, and will be happy to see her misses, pupils, and their friends at that place. She also wishes to say to all members of the Literary Life Circle that burst wrappers in the Chicago P. O. is the cause of delayed magazines. Hope that all will be right in October issue.

Sheridan in Tragedy.

The noted tragedian will appear Friday night, at the Opera House, in *Louis XI*, of which performance the San Francisco *Chronicle* said:

One cannot witness Sheridan's *Louis XI* without acknowledging that he is a rare actor, and it can be called with justice a very great performance. It is still Sheridan's merit that when he plays, while we recognize his voice and even certain of his actions, we never remember the man or forget the character on the stage. Sheridan's *Louis XI* is one of the most realistic characters on the stage. It is full of the subtlest art; it is as wonderful an example of obliteration of the actor's personality as can be imagined. This is acting, this is art. Whether or not he be the *Louis XI* of real life to any degree is hardly the question. Historical effects are different from stage effects, and the actual is rarely interesting in the theatre. He is a King who corresponds to every line and suggestion of the play, to every situation and relation of the story.

Admission, 50 and 75 cents, reserved seats, $1.

Resigned.

Yesterday Mr. B. B. Rose, who has been foreman of the Wabash car shops at this point for a number of years, tendered his resignation to Supt. Martin, and it was accepted to take effect Oct. 1st. M. B. Schailor will probably be appointed to succeed Mr. Rose. The retiring foreman has been one of the most industrious and faithful members of the Wabash force at Decatur. He is a thoroughly competent man.

Cheap Charley's Art Emporium.

Not chromos, but genuine oil paintings, worth from $5.00 to $10.00, and framed in gilt frames, will be given away with each and every suit of men's clothing purchased from Cheap Charley, on and after Thursday, Oct. 1st. He was only able to get a limited quantity of these art treasures, and he invites his friends to call early and secure an ornament to their parlors. 30-d&wtf

Postponement.

The meeting of the sewing circle of the ladies' society of the Presbyterian church, to have been held to-morrow afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Sterrett on Condit street, has been postponed.

"The Triangle," Two and a Half, and New Waltz Lancier, at Armory Hall, Tuesday evening, Oct. 6th, by Prof. Fero.

The tenacity with which people abide by their early faith in Ayer's Sarsaparilla can only be explained by the fact that it is the best blood medicine ever used, and is not approached in excellence by any new candidate for public favor.

The Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at noon to-day:

Wheat—84½ Sept; 84½ Oct; 86½ Nov. 91½ May.
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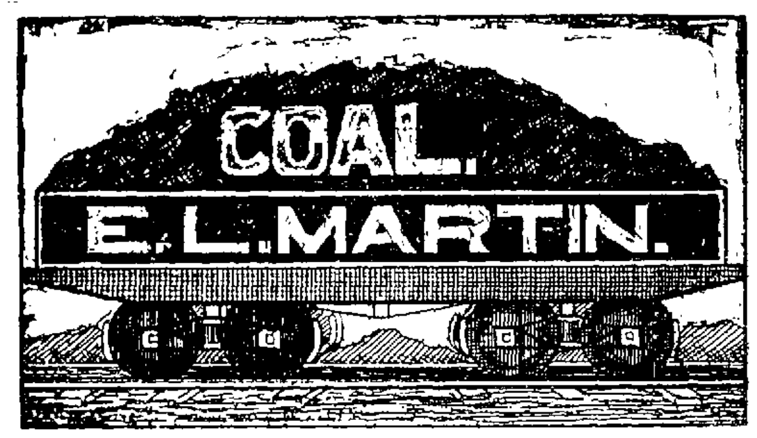

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Macon County, }

Macon County Circuit Court.

Henry W. Waggoner, administrator, &c., vs. Samuel A. Beaman, et al. No. 1,904.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term, A. D. 1885, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Saturday the 3d day of October, A. D. 1885,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: The south half of the southeast quarter and the north half of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty-four (34), township seventeen north, range three east of the 3d P. M., together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, Sept. 10th, 1885.
JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon Co., Ill.
DAVID HUTCHINSON, Sol. for Complainant.
Sept. 10-d 4w

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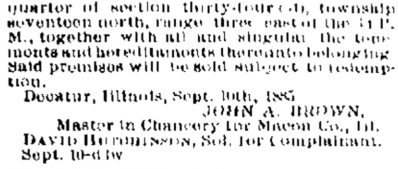

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To all whom it may concern:

You will take notice that the undersigned intends making application at the regular meeting of the city council, to be held on the 7th day of October, A. D. 1885, for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, in a building situated on the south half of lot 12, block 7, Plant & Tuttle's Addition to City of Decatur, at No. 708 North Broadway, said building being owned by A. Harpstrite. L. DICKES.

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A MARINE CURIOSITY.

The Old California Yet Afloat—The First Steamer to Enter the Golden Gate Still in Active Service.

"So that's the old California, is it?" soliloquized an old pioneer, standing on Spear street wharf under the bowsprit of a bark-rigged vessel, whose battered sides bore evidence of many a year's struggle against wind and wave.

"Yes, that's the California," was the reply from the man in charge of a repairing crew who were replanking the forward part of the ship. "She was the first steamer that ever entered this port. Her boilers were taken out of her in 1875, and since that time she has been in the lumber and coal trade, with an occasional cargo of tea from Yokohama. She's an old timer, I tell you."

"That she is," affirmed the other speaker. "Well do I remember the time when she came in here in '49—how the people ran out in crowds to Telegraph Hill and Clark's Point to get a glimpse of the first boat of the Pacific Mail Company, from which great benefits were expected; how they cheered, with bands playing, flags waving and cannon booming. Why, they even went so far as to get up a general illumination in the evening. It was a stirring time—a *stirring time*."

A reporter who heard this conversation, and became convinced that this was indeed the same ship that steamed through the Golden Gate on February 28, 1849, made inquiries among the officials at the Pacific Mail dock as to her history. The oldest employe at the dock, a gentleman who has been in the service of the company for over thirty-five years, was referred to as the one most likely to possess some knowledge of the vessel's comings and goings since her memorable voyage to this port in "the days of old, the days of gold," but he was surprised to learn that the vessel was still afloat, and said that it had been so long since he had heard any mention of the California that he had "lost track" of her entirely. It was ascertained, however, that A. B. Forbes knew something concerning the ancient craft, and to that gentleman the reporter next made application.

"I was purser of the California in 1850," said Mr. Forbes, reflectively. "My brother, Cleveland Forbes, who died in 1857, was her first captain and brought her around the Horn. William H. Webb, of New York, was her builder. Webb built the Panama and Oregon, sister ships of the California, all constructed for the mail service between Panama, San Francisco and Astoria. The Oregon was lost in Puget Sound about eight years ago, and the Panama was broken up at this port in 1874. The California has survived them all, for besides being one of the stoutest vessels that was ever launched she has been one of the luckiest. The Fremont and the Constitution are often given the honor of being the oldest vessels now running into this port, but neither of them antedates the California. The Fremont was built in 1850, and the Constitution did not arrive here until 1851, or later. The California and her sister ships were built under the supervision of naval inspectors, it being one of the conditions of the contract between the Government and the Mail Company that they should be so constructed as to be capable of carrying batteries in case of war, or any emergency that might arise in those troublous times. The California left New York on October 6, 1848, and was brought as far as Valparaiso by Captain Forbes. There the Captain became ill, and the steamer sailed to San Francisco under command of James Marshall. No one aboard heard the news of the discovery of gold in California until the vessel arrived at Valparaiso, and at Panama they saw the first dust and witnessed the excitement which had extended to all the western coast. Among the passengers were many men who have since become prominent in the history of business of the city and State. Arriving here, everybody aboard save the Captain and a seaman named Foggin—who was kept from deserting by being locked up in the cabin—hurried away to the diggings. Foggins afterwards remained on board, on being given the position of chief engineer, at a salary of five hundred dollars a month. On her first voyage from this port to Panama we were under the necessity of engaging seamen at wages ranging from two hundred to two hundred and fifty dollars a month; the cook, a darkey named George Washington, receiving four hundred dollars, and the Captain only one hundred and fifty dollars, he being under contract with the company to receive this salary, which was considered a high rate of renumeration at the time the California left New York. The steamer ran on the coast line until 1855, when she was superseded by steam vessels of a more improved pattern. She was sold in 1860 to Benjamin Holliday, after lying idle for five years. For the next eight years she was run as a coaster by different owners, and in 1869 was purchased by Peter Donahue."

It was stated by other informants that Peter Donahue expended one hundred and six thousand dollars in repairing the steamer, building new staterooms on her deck, remodeling her wheels and other machinery and fitting her up for passenger service. It was his intention at one time to present her to the Mexican Government, but after leasing her to Goodall, Perkins & Co., for a few years she was sold to the latter firm and ran first as a passenger steamer to the northern ports and afterward as a freight-ship. She was then condemned as a steamer and was laid up at Benicia for a few years, being purchased by N. Bichard on April 1, 1875, for ten thousand dollars. She was then brought down to Second street wharf, where her boilers, machinery, and paddle-boxes were removed, and she was transformed, at an expense of forty-four thousand dollars, into a very seaworthy bark, under the supervision of Captain William M. Willistun. Mr. Bichard then sent her to Newcastle, New South Wales, in ballast, with Captain Willistun as master. On her first trip in October, 1875, she proved herself a fast sailing craft, often making three hundred miles a day with a good breeze. Captain Willistun says she could have made her first voyage down in less than forty days had she not encountered a southerly "buster," which delayed her nearly a week. Captain Willistun, who has since retired from service, says that in overhauling the California he found her the stoutest vessel he had ever seen. Her frame is of the heaviest live oak and her upper timbers of locust and red cedar. Captain Willistun first saw the California in 1848 in Rio de Janeiro, where he was in charge of the bark Parthian. He thought it a rather peculiar circumstance that he should have become her master after twenty-seven years. The Captain was a territorial pioneer, and is now seventy-six years of age, and is to-day as stanch and chipper as the old craft which he sailed ten years ago, and which he firmly believes will live to see her fiftieth anniversary. "She's the luckiest vessel I ever went to sea in," he remarked to the reporter.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

"Permanent."

There are medicines which give only temporary relief and then leave the sufferer worse off than before, especially in cases of dyspepsia. Remember that this is not the way with Brown's Iron Bitters. See what Mr. J. M. Gaines, of Gaines, S. C., says about this prince of tonics: "My wife has been greatly benefitted by it; she had been troubled with dyspepsia for years, and now I believe she is permanently cured." It also cures liver and kidney complaints.

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Mr. Editor:—Many of your readers may be benefitted by the knowledge of such an excellent remedy as Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which produces the most favorable results in disorders of the liver, stomach and kidneys, and is a valuable remedy in dyspepsia; also debility arising from malaria or other causes. It is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier, and a sure cure for ague. Price 50 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. 3

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Excursion to Tennessee and Mississippi.

The Illinois Central R. R. will run a Southern Land Excursion to points in Tennessee and Mississippi, leaving Decatur at 5:15 p. m. October 20, 1885, at the usual exceedingly low round trip rates. In addition to this, Colonel Gates, assistant commissioner of Tennessee, has arranged for a detour from Jackson through West Tennessee, embracing about 400 miles, passing through Humboldt, Trenton, Union City, Memphis, Somerville, Brownsville, Milan, Paris, McKenzie, Huntingdon, and Dresden, at a rate of one cent per mile. The citizens at various points are arranging to entertain the entire party, and not only banquet them, but will take them around the towns and country free of charge. This is certainly a grand opportunity to visit Tennessee and Mississippi. Sleeping cars will run through to New Orleans on this excursion, to accommodate New Orleans, Jennings and Florida passengers. Applications for berths should be made to the undersigned at Manchester on or before October 15.

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The Crescent Hotel.

The management of the Crescent hotel, which is now in process of construction at Eureka Springs, Arkansas, give notice that the "Crescent" will not be ready for guests until some time in December. The grand opening will not take place as soon as expected, probably January 1st, 1886. Round trip tickets to Eureka Springs health resort are now on sale at all principal ticket offices. For further particular information and for illustrated pamphlets of this famous health resort, call upon or address Geo. Lower, T. L. Ag't, 252 N. Water St., Decatur, Ill. s18 dtf

Removal.

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PUBLIC SALE OF STOCK.

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I will offer at public sale at my place, near the City of Decatur, on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3d, 1885,

The following desirable property:

15 HEAD OF MILCH COWS, some of them fresh in milk, others soon to have calves.

5 HEAD OF YEARLING HEIFERS, all high grade Short-Horns; all in calf to my pure bred Holstein bull.

1 two-year-old Short-Horn Bull; 1 four-year-old gelding by Stoner Boy; 1 three-year-old gelding by Elkhorn; 1 brood mare and colt. A light spring wagon and harness.

At the same time and place, D. A. MAFFIT will offer for sale 1 Berkshire boar and 4 brood sows, 25 SHOATS, weighing from 70 to 90 pounds; 1 pair of blind horses, with wagon and harness; saddle and driving horse, formerly owned by Caldwell; bay work horse; 2 sets double harness, set single harness (nearly new), and 2 two-horse wagons. A 2-year-old Jersey heifer and a 1-year-old Jersey bull will also be offered.

SALE TO COMMENCE AT 1 O'CLOCK.

TERMS—A credit of nine months will be given, purchaser giving note with approved security.

H. C. JOHNS.
J. W. THORNHILL, Auctioneer. sept24-w2d6

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—AT—

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Popular New York Store,

To close out the balance of our medium and fine Cotton, Lisle, and Silk Hose, we offer the following:

LOT No. 1.—Misses' Derby Ribbed Hose, solid colors, at 19c, worth 30c.
" " 2.—Misses' Solid Colored Silk Clocked Hose, full regular made, at 25c, worth 40c.
" " 3.—Misses, Solid Colored Hose, regular made, with split feet, at 29c worth 45c.
" " 4.—Children's regular made Lisle Thread Hose, extra heavy, with spliced knees, at 25c, worth 50c.
" " 5.—Misses' regular made Lisle Thread Hose, extra heavy, with spliced knees, at 35c, worth 75c.
" " 6.—Ladies' full regular made Balbriggan Hose, all colors at 20c, worth 25 and 30c.
" " 7.—Ladies' full regular Pin Stripe Hose, at 20c, worth 25c.
" " 8.—Ladies' full regular made Pin head Check Hose, at 30c per pair, worth 45c.
" " 9.—Ladies' full regular made Balbriggan Hose, solid colors, at 35c, worth 50c.
" " 10.—Ladies' fine Lisle Thread Hose, all colors, at 39c, worth 60c
" " 11.—Ladies' extra heavy Lisle Thread Hose, plain and ribbed, at 49c, worth 75c.
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Administrator's Notice

Estate of PENELOPE BLANEY, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Penelope Blaney, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the November term, on the third Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 25th day of September 1885.
JAMES H. JONES,
sept25-d4w Administrator, &c.

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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING EAST.

No 44, Atlantic Express..........11:46 a. m
" 42, Lightning Express..........10:46 p. m
" 48, Accommodation arrives......7:00 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East..........7:30 a. m
Going "..........6:00 p. m

GOING WEST.

No. 43, Fast Line..........4:15 a. m
" 45, ...3:40 p. m
" 57, Jacksonville Accommodation, 8:46 a. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going west..........12:30 p. m
Going "..........10:45 a. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, May 24th, 1885, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement:

GOING EAST.

No. 2, Chicago Express..........12:20 a. m
" 4, Atlantic Express..........12:06 noon

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 3, St. Louis Express..........3:55 a. m
" 5, St. Louis Mail..........3:10 p. m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 3, St. Louis Express..........4:05 a. m
" 43, Fast Line..........3:35 a. m
" 5, Fast Mail..........3:30 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 2, Chicago Express..........12:05 a. m
" 4, Atlantic Express..........11:59 p. m
" 42, Lightning Express..........10:30 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West..........5:47 a. m
Arrive from West..........6:30 p. m

For Maps, Time Tables, Tickets and any particular information, call on
K. HARWOOD, Agent W. St. L. & P. R. R.
JAS. SMITH, F. CHANDLER,
Gen. Traffic Man'gr. Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Louis.

Champaign Division:

Arrive from East..........10:40 a. m
Leave for Champaign..........1:50 p. m
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CALL at Spencer, Lehman & Co.'s for the celebrated Champion Iron Force Pump, the best force pump out.
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NEW THROUGH LINE EAST.

On and after Sunday, May 10th, trains via I., D. & S. R'y will leave Decatur at 11 5a. m. and 10:50 p. m. Both trains connect at Indianapolis with all lines for the East. The 10:50 p. m. train will have Pullman Sleeping Cars from Decatur through to Columbus, Ohio, via Pan Handle route, arriving at Columbus at 11 to next morning. The train will also have a Reclining Chair Car from Decatur to Cincinnati, without change, arriving at Cincinnati at 8 a. m. Tickets, Berths and Reclining Chairs can be secured at Illinois Central office in depot.
H. W. SHIMER, Ticket Agent.
Or at City Office, 127 Prairie St., opposite P. O.
C. W. TYNER, General Agent.
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May 7—dtf

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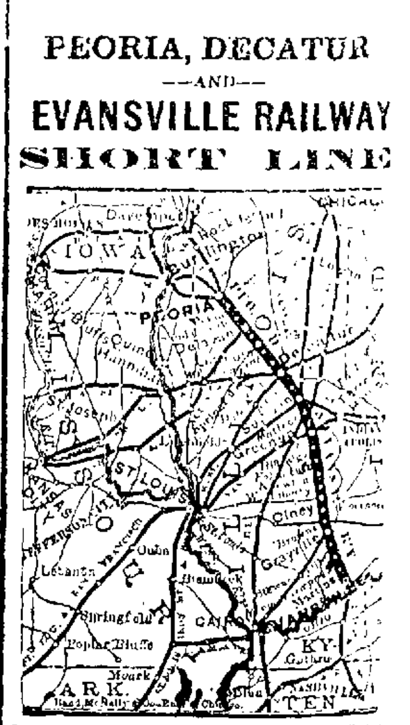

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NORTHWEST.

No. 1. Mail..........3.05 p. m
" 6. Express..........4.10 a. m
" 3. Mixed..........8.40 a. m
" 13. Freight..........10.20 a. m

SOUTHEAST.

No. 2. Mail..........10.12 a. m
" 8. Express..........10.40 p. m
" 4. Mixed..........10.05 p. m
" 14. Freight..........1.35 p. m

Nos. 5 and 6 daily between Decatur and Peoria.

For maps, bills, time, rates and other information, call on or address
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EAST.

No. 2. Mail..........11:55 a m
" 4. Columbus & Cincinnati Exp..........10. 40 p m
" 12. Freight..........5 .8 a m
" 14 Freight..........6:30 p m

ARRIVE FROM EAST.

No. 1. Mail..........2 45 p m
" 3. Express..........4.5 a m
" 11. Freight..........6 30 p m
" 13. Freight..........5 00 p m

Nos. 3 and 4 daily between Decatur, Columbus and Cincinnati.

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Accommodation south " 10:16 a m
Dubuque and Sioux City Exp. " 12:17 a m
Chicago and St. Paul Mail " 7:40 a m
Accommodation north " 2:50 p m
Local freight south " 8:46 a m
" " north " 4:15 p m

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